EEOC Training Institute Technical Assistance Training Seminar Nashville, Tennessee May 16, 2006

Agenda Highlights: Come to the source for the latest EEO information. John Schmelzer, from EEOC's headquarters office will give his popular presentation on the Civil Rights Experience. A Department of Justice representative will provide all the information you need to handle personnel situations dealing with immigration issues. In our seven workshops, you can choose from a wide variety of topics ranging from a discussion of an actual disability case or an update of the law to Faith at Work or the rights of the soldiers you employ. It is a very full program. Don't miss it!

7:30 - 8:30 am	Registration & Continental Breakfast
8:30 - 8:45 am	Welcome Remarks Katharine Kores, District Director, EEOC, Memphis
8:45 - 9:30 am	Citizenship & Immigration Discrimination: What You Need to Know About Hiring and the I-9 Sebastian Aloot, Sr. Trial Attorney - U. S. Department of Justice, Office of Special Counsel for Immigration Related Unfair Employment Practices
9:30 - 10:15 am	The Civil Rights Experience Political and cultural events which lead to the passage of the Civil Rights Act of 1964. John Schmelzer, Acting Director - Field Coordination Programs, EEOC Washington, D.C.
10:15 - 10:30 am	Break
10:30 - 11:45 pm	Concurrent Workshops:
	1. Disability Discrimination in the Workplace: How a Jury Decided an Actual Case Sarah Smith, Area Director, EEOC - Nashville Area Office
	2. Recent Developments in the Law: The Impact of Recent EEO Court
	Cases Adele Rapport, Acting Regional Attorney - EEOC, Memphis District Office
	3. Faith@Work: Employer Rights and Obligations with Faith Issues Carson Owen, Sr. Trial Attorney, EEOC - Memphis District Office
11:45 - 1:00 pm	LUNCH
1:00 - 2:15 pm	Concurrent Workshops:
	4. ABC's of EEO: A Basic Overview for Supervisors & Managers Shirley Richardson, Enforcement Manager - EEOC, Memphis District Office

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- **5. TN Human Rights Commission (THRC): How to Respond to a Charge** *Amber Gooding,* Director, THRC Nashville, TN

6. Mediation: An Important Tool in Resolving Complaints *Robert Stevenson,* ADR Coordinator - EEOC, Memphis District Office

2:15 - 2:30 pm **Break**

2:30 - 3:45 pm Concurrent Workshops

- 7. Repeat of Workshop 1 Disability Discrimination
- 8. Uniform Services Employment and Reemployment Act: What You Need to Know About the Rights of the Soldiers You Employ Fred R. Denson, General Counsel Military Department of Tennessee
- 9. Repeat of Workshop 3 Faith @ Work

3:45 - 4:15 pm **Evaluations, Certificates and CDs.**